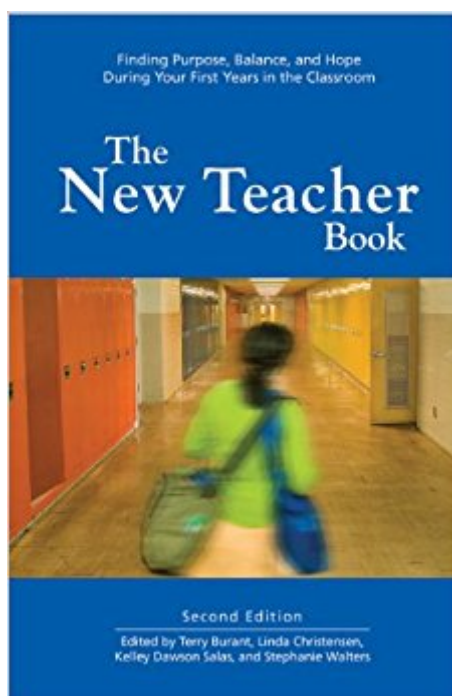


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# The New Teacher Book: Finding Purpose, Balance And Hope During Your First Years In The Classroom



## Synopsis

Teaching is a lifelong challenge, but the first few years in the classroom are typically among a teacher's hardest. Since *The New Teacher Book* first came out in 2004, it has become an invaluable resource for new teachers entering the classroom. This expanded collection of writings and reflections - some by new teachers, others by veterans with decades of experience to share - offers practical guidance on how to effectively navigate the school system, form rewarding professional relationships with colleagues, and connect in meaningful ways with students and families from all cultures and backgrounds. *The New Teacher Book*

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Just when new teachers might feel that it's time to throw in the towel, *The New Teacher Book* makes its appearance with stimulating stories, ideas, and encouragement that remind teachers why they entered the profession in the first place. Grounded in a deep respect for teachers, the articles, ideas, and resources will inspire and motivate all educators, not just those new to the profession. By questioning the stale prescriptions and taken-for-granted practices so common in education today, this book sends a powerful message that education is above all about social justice. --Sonia Nieto, professor emerita, University of Massachusetts Amherst  
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I am beginning my student teaching and thought this book would be helpful for my new experience. I have read other education books in the past and just completed my education for my early childhood bachelors. Already 100 pages into the book and I am not impressed! It seems like I read 90 pages of new teacher complaints and failures but almost nothing on tips. The things I wanted to learn such as classroom management, classroom design and how to best prepare for day 1, have not yet appeared in this book. Would not recommend

Aimed at elementary and middle school teachers. Not great for high school.

Great book of tips, stories and ideas from teachers. Very encouraging for new teachers.

Great. I love every part about it

Great condition. Also solid advice. However, at times the advice seems relatively un-realistic.

good

General book with separate articles by different authors.

Good

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